NSR – Council Meeting 21 January 2017

Item 11.5 Orkester Norden (presented by CC John Jagd)

Lions Danmark



Introduction

• History of Orkester Norden

- Started in 1993 (Sweden). Moved to Norway (2008 Kristsiansand) and in 2014 to Denmark (Aalborg) stay in Denmark until 2019 (Finland)
- Fundraising:
 - Council of Nordic Ministers
 - Lions Clubs
 - City contributions and others
- € 140.000 (yearly)
- € 25.000 (yearly)
- € 235.000 (yearly)



• NSR Council Meeting 2016 (Finland)

- Shall the orchestra travel abroad and play in the Nordic countries 2017?
- Shall the orchestra move between cities every 2-3 years?

Nothing was decided and has not been brought up to the agenda this year.



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• What happened during 2016

- Administrative wise
 - 2 board meeting held. General Assembly also held
 - New homepage (selected langue's (Icelandic, Danish, English and Finnish)

- Concert wise

- 110 applications for auditions
- 66 young people were selected whereas 40 came from Scandinavian countries and Baltic countries



• What happened during 2016

Concert wise

- August 20 Denmark
- August 21 Denmark
- August 22 Sweden
- August 25 Finland

Aalborg Copenhagen Stockholm Helsinki

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• What happened during 2016

- Concert wise

The concert program for Orkester Norden in 2016 were:

- Hans Abrahamsen:
- Edward Grieg:
- Johannes Brahms:
- Jean Sibelius:
- Hugo Alfven:
- Piano concert Symphony no. 4

Nacht und Trompeten

- Valse Triste
- Vallflickans Dans



Newspaper coverage 2016



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• The outlook for 2017

- Administrative wise
 - Planned two board meeting and General Assembly planned as well
 - A strategy document for Orkester Norden for 2017 has been prepared

- Concert wise

• Still in the planning process - nothing decided yet



• AOB

- At NSR in Denmark two years ago, we discussed Orkester Nordens participation in the international convention in Milan (2019). Nothing decided yet.

